

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**TIMOTHY GALES**, :  
**Plaintiff**, : **CASE NO. 2:21-CV-328**  
**v.** : **JUDGE MICHAEL H. WATSON**  
**THOMAS P. CHARLES, et al.**, : **MAGISTRATE JUDGE**  
**Defendant.** : **KIMBERLY A. JOLSON**

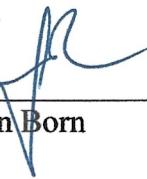
**DECLARATION OF JOHN BORN**

Declarant states as follows:

1. My name is John Born. I am over eighteen (18) years of age, am competent to testify, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
2. I was previously employed by the Ohio Department of Public Safety (“DPS”). I served as the Director of DPS from August 2013 until I resigned on or about January 5, 2019. While I was employed as Director of DPS, my office was located at 1970 West Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. However, I have not worked at this address since I resigned as Director of DPS in January 2019.
3. I have not been personally served with a summons or copy of the Amended Complaint in the above-captioned case filed by Plaintiff Timothy Gales, nor have a received a copy of the summons and Amended Complaint through certified or regular mail.

Declarant further sayeth not.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on September 27, 2022.

  
John Born